

# **Ratio Check Kit**

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Use with mix manifold 258989 to check the ratio at the mix manifold on XP70 plural-component sprayers.

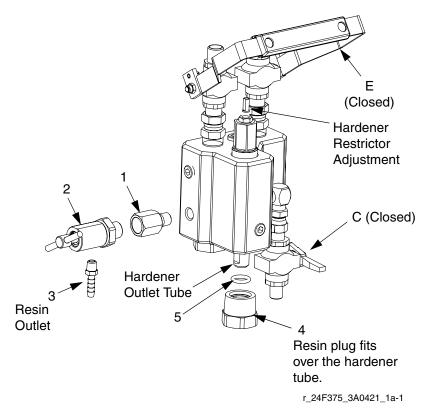


#### **Important Safety Instructions**

Read all warnings and instructions in the mix manifold manual 3A0590. Save all instructions.

#### Part No. 24F375

Ref.	Part No.	Description	Qty.
1	150287	COUPLING	1
2	245143	VALVE, pressure, bleed	1
3	116746	FITTING, barbed, plated	1
4	16E987	PLUG, ratio check	1
5	114315	O-RING	1



### **Overview**

The ratio check kit is used in place of the static mixer or hose that would normally be attached to the outlet of mix manifold 258989.

The kit allows only the hardener to dispense out of the normal outlet. The resin is diverted to dispense out of the sample valve (2). The outlet plug (4) must be removed before returning to "mix" mode.

### Installation

#### **NOTICE**

To prevent an inaccurate ratio check when feed pumps are used in your system, the feed pressure cannot be more than a maximum of 25% of the proportioner outlet pressure. High feed pressure can float the proportioner pump check balls, resulting in an inaccurate ratio check.

- 1. **Relieve pressure.** See mix manifold manual for instructions.
- 2. Flush mixed material, if necessary. See mix manifold manual for instructions.
- 3. Remove plug (P3) from the mix manifold.

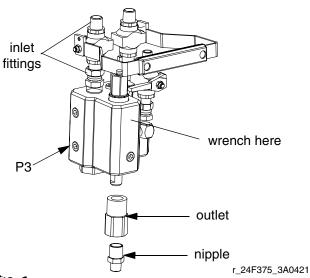


FIG. 1:

4. Place one wrench on the front of the manifold and use another wrench to remove the outlet fitting, nipple fitting, static mixer, and whip hose from the mix manifold outlet.

#### **NOTICE**

To prevent damage to the inlet swivel fittings, use a wrench on the front of the mix manifold.

5. Install coupling (1), sample valve (2), resin outlet fitting (3), o-ring (5), and resin plug (4) as shown on page 1.

NOTE: The resin plug (4) fits over the hardener outlet tube.

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### **Procedure**

- 1. Close the dual shutoff handle (E), sample valve (2), and solvent valve (C).
- 2. Set proportioner to 50% of spray pressure.
- 3. Place waster containers under the hardener and resin outlets. Open the dual shutoff handle (E). The hardener pressure will drop.
- 4. First time use:
  - a. Open the resin sample valve (2) until you have a typical flow or cycle rate.
  - b. Adjust the hardener restrictor stem in clockwise until the fluid pressure gauges are balanced.
  - c. Close the dual shutoff handle (E).
- 5. Use after the hardener restrictor stem is pre-set:
  - a. Open the resin sample valve (2) until the fluid pressure gauges are balanced.
  - b. Close the dual shutoff handle (E).
- 6. Hold graduated or tared containers under the resin outlet fitting (3) and under the hardener outlet tube.

- Open ratio check valve (2) and shut off handle (E) and take ratio samples.
- 7. Close the dual shutoff handle (E) when you have enough material. Compare amounts in each container; amounts should correspond to desired ratio.

NOTE: If you know the mix ratio is by weight, weigh tared containers for a more accurate measure. The weight ratio will be different than the volume ratio unless both fluids have the same specific gravity.

- 8. Close the resin valve (2). This valve can be left in place for future ratio checks.
- Flush the hardener outlet tube with solvent. See mix manifold manual for instructions.
- 10. Remove the ratio check plug (4) and o-ring (5) and save for future ratio checks.

#### NOTICE

To prevent damage to the inlet swivel fittings, use a wrench on the front of the mix manifold.

11. Reinstall fitting, static mixer, and hose.

NOTE: The hardener restrictor adjustment should now be set correctly for spraying mixed material and taking ratio checks. No further adjustments are required.

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